GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:846
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ALLOCATION OF FUND TO NATIONAL HIGHWAY
BIKRAM KESHARI DEO

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the total allocation during 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 for National Highway No. 201 and No.217 which passes through the chronically backward districts of KBK in Orissa; and

(b) whether the H.L. Bridge on National Highway No.201 on river Hati and bridge on Pipal Nala near Bhawanipatna Town have been cleared and funds released to start the construction?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) [MAJOR GENERAL (RETI KHANDURI, AVSM]

(a) Allocations are made State-wise and not National Highway-wise.Allocation for development of National Highways in the State of Orissa are as under :

2000 - 01 - Rs 67.04 crore
2001 - 02 - Rs 70.00 crore

(b) Estimates for construction of bridges on river Hati and Pipal Nala on NH 201 are not yet sanctioned.